

Physics Ph.D. Exit Survey Form

Overview: All Ph.D. students are requested to fill out this Exit Survey form before leaving UMBC. The information provided on these forms is voluntary, and will primarily be used in statistical reports as part of the Department's "Learning Outcomes Assessment Plan". Your feedback is a valuable tool for the evolution of our Physics graduate programs. Please be thorough and attach additional sheets if necessary.

Note: All graduating Physics Ph.D. students should also fill out the Graduate School's online "PhD Exit Survey", which can be found on the Graduate School website. The information you provide on the Graduate School's survey is anonymous and is not used by the Physics Department.

1. Student's name: _____

2. UMBC graduation date: _____

3. Primary contact info after leaving UMBC: e-mail: _____

cell phone / other: _____

4. Nearing completion of your PhD program, what was your primary goal for the future?

- Research or teaching in academic environment
- Non-academic position (government lab, private industry, etc.)
- Further study
- Other: _____

5. What are your plans after graduation? _____

6. Did the classroom and research activities you experienced at UMBC prepare you for the next phase of your professional life? Examples (pro and con) are appreciated:

7. Additional comments: _____

